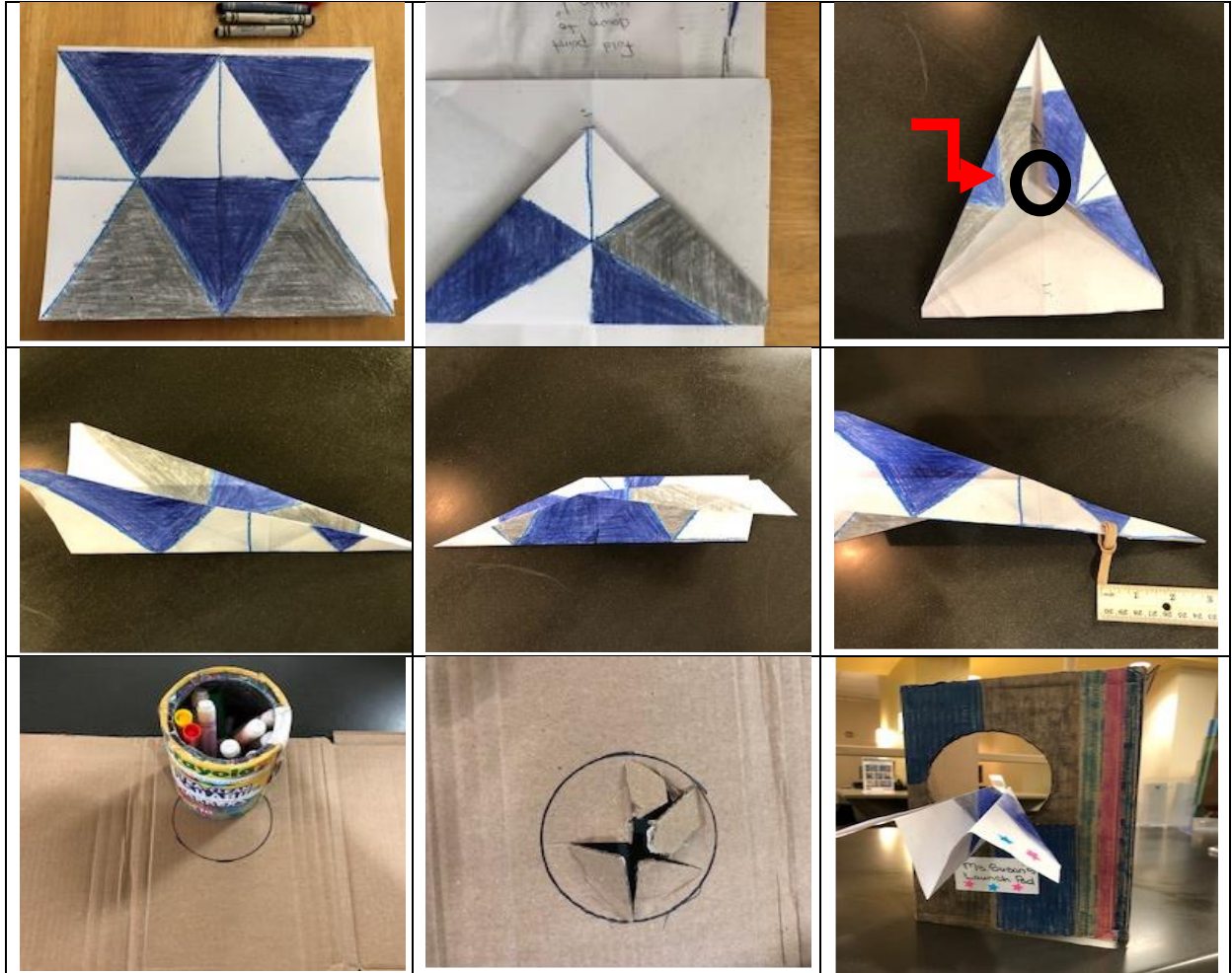


This is Ms. Susan from the Shorewood Public Library. Have you ever heard someone say, "Go fly a kite"? Sounds like fun, right? It's not spring yet, so we will have to "go fly a plane". You can make your favorite style, a Sprinter, a Buzz plane, or maybe a Sea Glider. Then you can attend Flight School and practice launching your plane through a target hole- right into infinity or beyond! You can even have a challenge with your family or friends, and see who can make it through the target.



1-Decorate the paper with crayons, markers, paints, or stickers. You can color both sides of the paper. When you are ready, fold the paper in half, length-wise. Open it up and fold both top corners down to the center on the fold you made. Try to keep the folds accurate so the plane flies straight. Take the two side points and fold these into the center fold line.

2- Fold the plane in half again, so the two bottom points are pointing up. Holding it on the bottom, fold each bottom corner to the outside until it meets the center line. You are ready to fly. If you would like to try a different fold, try this site-<https://www.foldnfly.com/#/1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-2>.

3- To make the launcher, make a hole in the plane about 2-3 inches from the front point. Add tape around the hole for strength. Slide the rubber band into the hole, loop it back inside, and pull it tight. Hold the plane, pull on the rubber band and let the plane take flight! Draw a circle in the middle of the cardboard and cut it out. Decorate the panel and fold the two sides to the back to make it stand up.

3-2-1, launch!

Be well and happy-exploring possibility!

Ms. Susan